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HOGWOOD, et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136)

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action mailed February 11, 2004, in the above-referenced application be extended five (5) months from April 11, 2004 to September 13, 2004 (September 11, 2004 being a Saturday), by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the total fees due in the amount of \$3,040.00 to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038, referencing docket number 02996.0003.CNUS02. This payment includes (\$130.00 petition fee; \$2010.00 five month extension fee; \$770.00 basic filing fee and \$130.00 declaration surcharge).

If extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those otherwise provided for herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-3038, referencing the above docket number.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-3038, referencing the above docket number. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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